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# The Great Shadow

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BONAVENTURE DE LAPP.

Synopsis.-Writing long after the events described, Jack Calder, Scot farmer of West Inch, tells how, in his childhood, the fear of invasion by Napoleon, at that time complete master of Europe, had gripped the British nation. Following a false alarm that the French had landed, Jim Horscroft, the doctor's son, youth of fifteen, quarrels with his father over joining the army, and from that incident a lifelong friendship begins between the boys They to together to school at Ber-wick, where Jim is cock boy from the first. After two years Jim goes to Edinburgh to study medicine. Jack stays five years more at Berbecoming cock boy in his When Jack is eighteen his cousin Edie comes to live at West Inch and Jack falls in love at first sight with his attractive, romantic, selfish and autocratic cousin of seventeen. They watch from the ciffs the victory of an English merchantman over two French privateers. Reproached by Edle for staying at home, Jack starts to enlist. Edie tells him to stay. Jack promises to stay and marry her. She acquiesces. Jim comes home. Jack sees Jim kissing Edle. Jack and Jim compare notes and force Edle to choose between them. She chooses Jim. Jack gives up Edie to Jim. The downfall of Napoleon is celebrated. A half-dead ship-wrecked foreigner drifts ashore at West Inch.

CHAPTER V-Continued.

"He's dying, Jim." I cried.

"Aye, for want of food and water, There's not a drop or a crumb in the hoat. Maybe there's something in the He sprang in and brought out a black leather bag, which, with a fhe boat. It was locked, but Jim had it open in an instant, It was half full of gold pieces.

Neither of us had ever seen so much before-no, nor a tenth part of it. There must have been hundreds of them, all bright new British sovereigns. Indeed, so taken up were we that we had forgotten all about their owner, until a grean took our thoughts back of him. His lips were bluer than ever, and his jaw had dropped. I can see his open mouth now, with its row of white, wolfish teeth.

"My God! he's off," cried Jim. "Here, run to the burn, Jock, for a hatful of water. Quick, man, or he's I'll loosen his things the while."

Away I tore, and was back in a minute with as much water as would loused the water over him, and forced But neither Jim nor I were looking at his face now, for our eyes were fixed on his uncovered chest.

There were two deep red puckers in it, one just below the collar bone, and make your own arrangements." the other about halfway down on the right side. The skin of his body was extremely white up to the brown line of his neck, and the angry crinkled spots looked the more vivid against it. From above I could see there was a corresponding pucker in the back at one place but not at the other. . Inexperienced as I was, I could tell what that meant. Two bullets had pierced his chest-one had passed through it, and the other had remained inside. But suddenly he staggered up to his feet, and pulled his shirt to, with a

ouick, suspicious gignee at us. "What have I been doing?" he asked. "I've been off my head. Take no notice of anything I may have said.

Have I been shouting?" "You shouted just before you fell."

"What did I shout?" I told him, though it bore little meaning to my mind. He looked sharply at us, and then he shrugged his

shoulders. "It's the words of a song," said he, "Well, the question is, what am I to do now? I didn't thought I was so Where did you get the wa-

I pointed towards the burn, and he staggered off to the bank. There he lay down upon his face, and he drank until I thought he would never have sigh, and wiped his mustache with his is it that he fears?"

"That's better," said he. "Have you any food?"

I had crammed two bits of oatcake into my pocket when I left bome, and was doing something very fine, inthese he crushed into his mouth and swallowed. Then he squared his shoulders, puffed out his chest, and patted down the path, with my new achis ribs with the flat of his hands.

"I am sure that I owe you exceed ingly well," said he. "You have been very kind to a stranger. But I see that you have had occasion to oper my bag?"

"We hoped that we might find wine or brandy there when you fainted." ny little-bow do you say it?-iny cavings. They are not much, but I gared berrings before him, however, must live quietly upon them until I and I noticed that he looked more but something to do. Now, one could askance than ever when my companwe very quietly here, I should say. I jon ate nine of them, for two were

much as a gendarme nearer than that | lids were drooping over his eyes, for

"You haven't told us yet who you are, where you come from, nor what

you have been," said Jim bluntly. The stranger looked him up and but you would make a grenadler for a flank company," said he. "As to what high and strong snorer, and, as my you ask, I might take offense at it from other lips, but you have a right to know, since you have received me with so great courtesy. My name is Bonaventure de Lapp. I am a soldier and a wanderer by trede, and I have come from Dunkirk, as you may see printed upon the boat."

"I thought that you had been shipwrecked?" said L.

But he looked at me with the straight gaze of an honest man. "That is right," said he. "But the ship went from Dunkirk, and this is one of her boats. The crew got away in the long boat, and she went down so quickly that I had no time to put

anything into her. That was on Mon-

"And today's Thursday. You have been three days without bite or sup." "It is too long," said he. "Twice before I have been for two days, but never quite so long as this. Well, I shall leave my boat here, and see whether I can get lodgings in any of these little gray houses up on the hillsides. Why is that great fire burning over vonder?"

"It is one of our neighbors who has served against the French. He is refolding because peace has been declared.

you have a neighbor who has "Oh! served, then? I am glad, for I, too, have seen a little soldiering here and large blue cont, was the only thing in there." He did not look glad, but he drew his brows down over his keen "You are French, are you not?" I

asked, as we all walked up the hill together, he with his black bag in his hand, and his long blue cloak slung over his shoulder. "Well, I am of Alsace," said he.

'And you know they are more German than French. For myself, I have been in so many lands that I feel at home in all. I have been a great traveler. And where do you think that I might find a lodging?" I can scarcely tell now, on looking

back with the great gap of five-andthirty years between what impression this singular man had made upon me. Jim Horscroft was a fine man, and Maj. Elliott was a brave one, but they both lacked something that this wanstay in my Glengarry. Jim had pulled | derer had. It was the quick, alert open the man's coat and shirt, and we look, the flash of the eye, the nameless distinction which is so hard to up, and rubbed his eyes slowly, like a and one's heart always softens toward what one has once helped.

"If you will come with me," said I, "I have little doubt that I can find you a bed for a night or two, and by that time you will be better able to He pulled off his hat, and bowed

with all the grace imaginable. But Jim Horscroft pulled me by the sleeve and led me aside.

" You're mad, Jock," he whispered. "The fellow's a common adventurer. What do you want to get mixed up with him for?"

But I was always as obstinate man as ever laced his boots, and if you jerked me back it was the finest way of sending me to the front. "He's a stranger, and it's our part

to look after him," said I. "You'll be sorry for it," said he. "Maybe so."

"If you don't think of yourself you might think of your cousin.' "Edie can take very good care of

herself. "Well, then, the devil take you, and you may do what you like," he cried, in one of his sudden flushes of anger. Without a word of farewell to either of us he turned off upon the track that led up toward his father's house.

Bonaventure de Lapp smiled at me as we walked on together, "I didn't thought he liked me very much," said he. "I can see very well

that he has made a quarrel with you because you are taking me to your What does he think of me then? Does he think, perhaps, that I done. At last he got up, with a long have stole the gold in my bag, or what

"Tut! I neither know nor care," said I. "No stranger shall pass our door without a crust and a bed." With my head cocked, and feeling as if I stead of being the most egregious fool south of Edinburgh, I marched on quaintance at my elbow.

CHAPTER VI.

A Wandering Eagle.

My father seemed to be much of Jin Horscroft's opinion, for he was not over warm to this new guest, and 90h. I have nothing there but just looked him up and down with a very questioning eye. He set a dish of vine- won't hear me, so he stops every now and not have come upon a more always our portion. When at last he offil place, without, perhaps, so had finished. Bonaventure de Lapp's much as it cost him!

I doubt not that he had been sleepless as well as foodless for these three days. It was but a poor room to which I led him, but he threw himself down upon the couch, wrapped his down with a critical eye. "My word! big blue cloak around him, and was asleep in an instant. He was a very

room was next to his, I had reason to

remember that we had a stranger within our gates. When I came down in the morning l found that he had been beforehand with me, for he was seated opposite my father at the window table in the kitchen, their heads almost touching, and a little roll of gold pieces between them. As I came in my father looked up at me, and I saw a light of greed in his eyes such as I had never seen before. He caught up the money with an eager clutch, and swept it into his pecket.

"Very good, mister," said he. "The room's yours, and you pay always on the third of the month.

"Ah, and here is my first friend," cried De Lapp, holding out his hand to me with a smile which was kindly enough, and yet had that touch of patronage which a man uses when he smiles to his dog. "I am myself again now, thanks to my excellent supper and good night's rest. Ah, it is hunger that takes the courage from a man. That most, and cold next."

"Aye," that's right," said my father. "I've been out on the moors in a snewdrift for six-and-thirty hours, and I ken what it is like."

"I once saw three thousand men starve to death," remarked De Lapp putting out his hands to the fire. "Day by day they got thinner and more like apes, and they did come down to the edge of the pontoons where we did keep them, and they howled with rage and pain. The first few days their howls went over the whole city, but after a week our sentries on the bank could not hear them, so weak they had

"And they died?" I exclaimed, "They held out a very long time, Austrian grenadiers they were, of the corps of Starowitz, fine, stout men, as big as your friend of yesterday, but when the town fell there were but four hundred alive, and a man could lift them three at a time, as if they were little monkeys. It was a pity. Ah, my friend, you will do me the henors with madame and with mademoiselle."

It was my mother and Edie, who had come into the kitchen. He had not seen them the night before; but now it was all I could do to keep my face as I watched him, for, instead of our homely Scottish nod, he bent up ome between his lips. It had a good fix. And then, we had saved him his back like a louping trout, and effect, for after a gasp or two he sat when he lay gasping on the shingle, slid his foot, and clapped his hand over his heart in the queerest way. My mother stared, for she thought he was making fun of her, but Cousin Edie fell into it in an instant, as though it had been a game, and away she went in a great courtesy, until I thought she would have had to give it up, and sit down right there in the middle of the kitchen floor. But no, she was up again as light as a piece of fluff, and we all drew up our stools and started on the scones and milk and porridge.

He had a wonderful way with women, that man. Now, if I were to do it, or Jim Horscroft, it would look as if we were playing the fool, and the girls would have laughed at us; but with him it seemed to go with his style of face and fashion of speech, so that one came at last to look for it. For when he spoke to my mother or to Cousin Edie-and he was never backward in speaking-it would always be with a bow and a look as if it would hardly be worth their while to listen to what he had to say; and when they answered he would put or a face as though every word they said was to be treasured up and remembered forever. Edie did not say much but she kept shooting little glances at our visitor, and once or twice he looked very hard at her.

When he had gone to his room, after breakfast, my father pulled out eight golden pounds, and laid them on the table.

An eagle in a humble nest.

(TO BE CONTINUED.)

Making Sure.

A story is told of a farmer who was having trouble with his horse. It would start, walk about 20 yards or so, then stop for a few seconds and start again, only to repeat the performance. After watching this exhibition for some time a friend overtook the farmer during one of the horse's long waits. "What's the matter with the horse?" he asked. "Is it lame? Not as I knows of," answered the farmer very crossly, "but he's so dashed feared I'll say 'whea' and he and then to listen."-The Tatler,

White Elephant Isn't it a pity that a man never can dispose of his motor experience for a

# **WOMAN SLAYS** HER AVENGER

Shoots Man Who Had Killed Two Others Who Had Attacked Her Honor.

### ARGUES OVER MOTOR

First Husband Ambushed and Killed Six Years Ago-Her Ranch Foreman and His Father Were Shot by Wilson.

Winfield, Kau.-A' year and a half after he had shot two men to death on the main street of Tahlequah, Okla., to avenge his wife's honor, Homer S. Wilson, himself, was shot and killed on a lonely country road, near Winfield, Kan., by Mrs. Wilson. He is the fourth man, intimately acquainted with his pretty dark-haired wife, who has perished.

Charles West, first husband of Mrs. Wilson, was shot and killed from ambush near Tahlequah six years ago. Then Frank Anthony and his father. William's fell at Wilson's hands betause Wilson charged young Anthony. oreman of Mrs. Wilson's ranch, at Tablequah, had been too friendly with Mrs. Wilson while her husband was in the army.

Were Returning From Cattle Buying Trip.

Mrs. Wilson killed her husband as they were returning from a cattle buying trip to Dexter, 22 miles east of Winfield, With the Wilsons at the time were Charles Ridgeway and Ed Glass. who have ranches near Dexter.

Wilson had been driving his autome dle very fast, according to the story told by eye witnesses to the tragedy. When a stop was made for tire trouble and Wilson left the car, Mrs. Wilson slid into the driver's seat, insisting she would drive. An argument followed and Mrs. Wilson suddenly shot twice with an automatic pistol she had taken from the flap of one of the seats.

After Wilson had been inducted into the service he complained to the draft officials that his wife had reported suf-



fering at the bands of her foreman Frank Anthony. When he returned from the army he engaged Anthony in a duel in the street, shooting him twice. The elder Anthony rushed around a corner and was shot dead by Wilson as he reached for his fallen son's gun.

Acquitted Under "Unwritten Law." The successful duelist was acquitted by the jury under the "unwritten law," He testified at the hearing that his wife had confessed the Anthonys had embushed and killed her former husband and had sworn also to kill Wil-

Wilson, thirty-five years old, gained fame in the cattle country through his ability as a lariat thrower. He was with the 101 Ranch Wild West show several years as chief of its cowboys. touring Europe and South America with that circus. Mrs. Wilson is of Indian blood, according to friends.

Bathtub Is Too Warm.

Philadelphia.-Before going upstairs to take a bath, Solomon Salkin, proprietor of a bardware store in Philadelphia, lighted an oil lamp and placed it in the store directly below the bathroom.

Later, Solomon, sitting in the bathtub, noticed that the water was becoming unusually warm. He turned on the cold water." It failed to reduce the temperature. Getting out to investigate, Solomon found flames eating through the floor beneath the tub. He suffered a \$4,000 loss before firemen extinguished the blaze.

Wasp Bored Holes Through Ear. Springfield, Mass,-Rushing into the office of an ear specialist, Miss Lillian Beechly had a wasp which had punetured her ear four times removed by the physician.

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"You ain't? Well, wasn't you a pallbearer at de fun'r'l of his second wife Melissa?"

"Sho I wuz. But dat ain't-" "En wuzn't you a pallbearer at de

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